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Vehicle Enforcement Bulletin
Valid beginning October 1, 2008

Subject: Missouri Commercial Vehicle Registration Enforcement Extension Date and
Clarification: Missouri Issues a Single Plate to be Affixed to Power Unit, Trailer

The Missouri Department of Transportation Motor Carrier Services Division issued International Registration Plan credentials before the renewal deadline to the carrier who bears this letter. Because Missouri is issuing new license plates, we ask for an extension of the validation of credentials until 60 days past the registration date indicated on the carrier's IRP cab card. This will allow the carrier to continue operations while distributing new plates.

In Missouri, IRP registration is staggered, with plates expiring on March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31.

Valid 2008 or 2009 registration credentials for these vehicles titled "Missouri IRP Apportioned Cab Card" MUST be present in the vehicle.

Clarification of this extension request is available by calling the Missouri Department of Transportation, Motor Carrier Services toll-free at 1-866-831-6277, Monday through Friday, between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. Central Time.

CARRIER: Keep this notice with your cab card until the new license plate is affixed.

There is no deadline to replace plates. Missouri-registered equipment can bear either the new design or the plate issued before June 2008.

Missouri Issues a Single Plate

Commercial motor vehicles are issued only one license plate that is to be attached to the front end of the power unit. Trailer plates are to be affixed to the back end of a trailer or semi-trailer. This complies with Missouri Revised Statute 301.130.3